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In re Application of:) Confirmation No.: 8412
Gary K. Michelson)
Serial No.: 10/085,731) Group Art Unit: 3732
Filed: March 1, 2002) Examiner: M. Priddy
For: DYNAMIC LORDOTIC GUARD WITH)
MOVABLE EXTENSIONS FOR)
CREATING AN IMPLANTATION)
SPACE POSTERIORLY IN THE)
LUMBAR SPINE (as amended))

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated July 21, 2004, the period for reply having been extended for three (3) months by a request for extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.